

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

Application for Mediators

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ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: 1955

Date admitted to the Bar of the United States District Court of the District of South Carolina: 1955

Other court or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission): American College of Trial Lawyers, Greenville County Bar Association, American Bar Association, South Carolina Bar, Association of Insurance Attorneys

EDUCATION

Year law degree received: 1956 Law School: U.S.C.

Other professional degrees received (including year and school):

LEGAL EXPERIENCE (A minimum of 5 years of law practice required)

Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admission to the bar, particularly in the past five years:
Shareholder, Leatherwood, Walker, Todd & Mann, P.C. Thirty-nine years of experience in litigation, insurance practice, construction law, and products liability.

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing plaintiff 5% or defense 95%

Number of years engaged in active litigation: 40

EXPERTISE

Indicate all substantive areas in which you have expertise. Place a "1" by your strongest area(s) and a "2" by all other areas in which you have expertise. (Do not rank beyond "1" and "2.") After any category you have marked, please identify any sub-areas of expertise you have (e.g. "Medical malpractice" after Personal Injury).

<input type="checkbox"/> Admiralty	<input type="checkbox"/> Security or Shareholders suits
<input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust	<input type="checkbox"/> Labor
<input type="checkbox"/> Contracts	<input type="checkbox"/> ERISA
<u>2</u> Environment	<input type="checkbox"/> Wrongful Termination
<input type="checkbox"/> Fraud or Civil RICO	<input type="checkbox"/> Civil Rights in Employment
<u>1</u> Insurance	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Civil Rights
<input type="checkbox"/> Miller Act	<input type="checkbox"/> Copyrights
<u>1</u> Personal Injury	<u>2</u> Patent
<u>1</u> Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> Trademark
Other (specify) <input type="checkbox"/>	

Publications: ☐

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): Have only served as mediator 5 or 6 times and have engaged in mediation as an advocate on 4 or 5 occasions.

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator:

Number of mediations conducted: 5-6

MEDIATION TRAINING

<u>Course</u> <u>Provider</u>	<u>Course</u> <u>Content</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>No. of</u> <u>Hours</u>
ADR	Mediation training	1/19-22/95	Charleston, SC	40

OTHER INFORMATION

Other relevant experience or skills or other information you would like considered:

I have completed a 40-hour mediation program conducted by the ADR.

Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

X Columbia X Charleston X Greenville X Florence

Other Anywhere in South Carolina

Fees charged: I am associated with Resolute Systems of SC, LLC. Please refer matters to it for fees.

Hourly Rate: \$ 200

Minimum charge each mediation: \$ 125

How do you bill for travel? (explain): \$50.. Per hour, plus mileage.